

# Buy Your Winter's Supply of Vick's VapoRub Now



## Where Vicks Began

The Drug Store in which O. Henry Spent His Boyhood

This is the drug store in Greensboro, N. C., purchased by Mr. Lunsford Richardson in 1888 from Dr. Porter. Dr. Porter was the uncle of "Will" Porter, who, under the nom-de-plume of O. Henry, became America's greatest short story writer. O. Henry practically grew up in this store and learned here the profession of pharmacy.

It was during his years behind the prescription counter of this drug store that Mr. Richardson worked out the formula for Vicks.

## Directions for the Use of Vicks

VICK'S VapoRub comes in salve form. When applied to the body its action is two-fold.

1st.—INTERNAL. The heat of the body releases the ingredients in the form of vapors. These vapors are inhaled with each breath, carrying the medication through the air passages to the lungs.

2nd.—EXTERNAL. In addition, Vicks is absorbed thru and stimulates the skin, attracting the blood to the surface and aiding the vapors inhaled to relieve the congestion.

For Deep Chest Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Coughs, Hoarseness

For ever cases, hot, wet towels should be applied over the throat and chest to open the pores of the skin. Then Vicks should be rubbed well in, spread on thickly and covered with two thicknesses of hot, flannel cloths. The clothing should be left loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel, so that the vapors arising may be freely inhaled.

For Head Colds, Asthma, Catarrh, Hay Fever, Whooping Cough

For these troubles, Vicks can be used as for chest colds or can be melted in a

spoon and the vapors inhaled, or a little applied up the nostrils and snuffed back into the air passages.

For Spasmodic Croup and Children's Colds

Vicks is particularly recommended for children's colds, since it is externally applied and can, therefore, be used often and freely with perfect safety. For spasmodic croup, rub Vicks over the throat and chest until the difficult breathing is relieved; then spread on thickly and cover with a hot flannel cloth. An application at bedtime usually prevents a night attack of croup.

For Use as a Liniment, Poutice or Plaster

On account of its penetrative and rubefacient effect on the skin, Vicks has been found excellent for many minor ailments, such as Bites, Boils, Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Frost bite, Itchings, Muscular Soreness, Poison oak, Sunburn, Headache.

Vicks Is Not Meant to Replace the Physician

At the first symptoms of a serious illness, such as pneumonia, a physician should always be called. Many other troubles, such as chronic catarrh or continued headache, call for the diagnosis of a good doctor. Vicks is simply an emergency remedy, which can be kept

Druggists have stock today but a shortage may come at any time. Last winter druggists in many sections were out of Vicks for months

How the Use of this External Treatment for Cold Troubles Has Grown

MORE than a score of years ago, Lunsford Richardson, a druggist in a little North Carolina town, was trying to find a new way to treat spasmodic croup and colds. He had been trying to find it for years—he needed such a treatment in his own home—he knew that epinephrine and internal medicines disturbed the delicate digestions of children—that the only way to get medication directly to the air passages and lungs was in vapor form. So he was searching for an effective vapor treatment which would be economical, convenient, and which could be used without the necessity of closing up the sick room and thus excluding the fresh air, so important in the treatment of colds.

At last, this druggist found a process by which he could combine in salve form the standard, time-tested remedies—Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thymol and Turpentine—with other volatile oils so that when this salve was spread over the throat and chest the ingredients would be vaporized by the body heat. These vapors, inhaled with each breath all night long, carried the medication directly to the parts affected and at the same time the

salve was absorbed thru and stimulated the skin, aiding the vapors inhaled to relieve the congestion. This product was named Vick's VapoRub.

Now over 17 Million Jars are used yearly

Vicks was found to be good for a great many troubles besides spasmodic croup, and as time went on, its sale increased county by county and state by state, until now over 17 million jars are used each year—almost one jar for every family in the United States. And this in spite of the fact that Vicks is still a new form of treatment to many people in the North and far West.

The best testimony to the value of Vicks is the increasing number of families who, each year, are converted to the use of this real "Little Bodyguard in the Home."

Here is the record of the number of jars used annually for the last few years:

1910	347,748 Jars
1911	523,152 Jars
1912	1,027,068 Jars
1913	1,357,590 Jars
1914	1,462,330 Jars
1915	2,418,213 Jars
1916	4,302,764 Jars
1917	6,799,511 Jars
1918	17,377,408 Jars

in the home ready for instant use and which can be used freely, with perfect safety, on the youngest member of the family.

Samples Free

If you have never tried Vicks, we will be glad to send samples free to you and any

of your friends whose names and addresses you will send us.

Address:

THE VICK CHEMICAL COMPANY  
100 Milton Avenue  
Greensboro, N. C.

## CUT THIS OUT

OLD ENGLISH REMEDY FOR CATARRH, CATARRH, DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know of someone who is troubled with catarrh of the ears, head noises or ordinary deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have seen the means of saving some poor sufferer from total deafness. In England scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

Sprays, inhalers and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease in the middle ear, which frequently means total deafness, or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs, which is equally as dangerous. The following formula, which is used extensively in the damp English climate, is a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more favorable climate conditions.

Secure from your druggist one ounce of Parmit (double strength). Take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the eustachian tubes is reduced. Parmit used in the desired results. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh of head noises or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.

## UNCASVILLE

Several friends of Charles Ramager met at the home of his parents, Thursday evening, giving him a surprise on his fifteenth birthday. Those present were Azelia and Annabel Weston, Myrthen Glenier, Marian Fisher, Lester Dart, Edwin Perry, Herbert Corey, Edwin Gustafson and Reginald Hewitt. An enjoyable evening was spent with games and music. Refreshments were served. Numerous gifts were received.

John Vallett, Jr., who has been in the Lawrence hospital for treatment has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Huwitt entertained recently their grandsons, Saul Marshall and Gene McVey of New York. Mr. McVey is a member of a military company now playing in New York.

At the meeting of Thames Lodge I. O. O. F., Tuesday evening, the third degree was conferred on a class. During the past six months the lodge has increased its membership degree work has been conducted at nearly every meeting.

Joseph Bibeau recently moved his household goods from the Robertson Co.'s cottage to Volunton.

The weekly prayer meeting of the Methodist church was held at the home of Mrs. Charles L. French, Wednesday evening.

The executive officers of the Union Baptist church held a meeting on Monday night at the home of Rev. Francis Mitchell, pastor of the church.

Owing to the condition of the roads the rural carrier from the local office was on his route with a horse and sleigh several days last week.

Henry Church has left the employ of the Massachusetts company at their shipping point in Fall River and is working at the Robertson company's Rockland mill.

Starting Monday morning the Thames River Specialty company's mill began an eight-hour work week. There will be three shifts, each shift working eight hours. The company is very busy and has large orders ahead.

Wages have been increased; the lowest employee has 52 cents an hour. H. D. Mousley is superintendent.

James Metcalf, Jr., was a Sunday guest at the home of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. James Metcalf, at River View minor farm, Pine Grove, Iantic. The trip was by automobile.

He is a wise man who steers no man's nose—not even his own.

## Cured His Piles

Now 88 Years Old But Works at Trade of Blacksmith and Feels Younger Since Piles Are Gone.

The oldest active blacksmith in Michigan is still pointing his anvil in the town of Homer—thanks to my internal method of treating piles.



Mr. Jacob Lyon, Homer, Mich. I wish that you could hear him tell of his many experiences with ointments, salves, dilators, etc., but he has tried my method. Here is a letter just received from him:

Dear Sir: I want you to know what your treatment has done for me. I had suffered with piles for many years and used suppositories and all kinds of treatments, but never got relief until I tried yours. Am now completely cured. Although I am 88 years old, and the oldest active blacksmith in Michigan, I feel years younger since the piles have left me. I will surely recommend it to all I know who suffer this way. You can use my letter any way you wish and I hope it will lead others to try this wonderful remedy.

Yours truly, J. L. LYON.

There are thousands of afflicted people suffering with piles who have never yet tried the one sensible way of treating them.

Don't be cut. Don't waste money on foolish salves, ointments, dilators, etc., but send today for a Free Trial of my internal method for the healing of piles.

No matter whether your case is of long standing or recent development, whether it is occasional or permanent, you should send for this free trial treatment.

No matter where you live—no matter what your age or occupation—if you are troubled with piles, my method will relieve you promptly.

This liberal offer of free treatment is too important for you to neglect a single day. Write now. Send no money. Simply fill in the coupon—then do this now—TODAY.

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This is the present plant of the Vick Chemical Company, Greensboro, N. C., employing a force of 297 people engaged exclusively in the manufacture and marketing of one preparation only, Vick's VapoRub.

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At all Druggists  
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Your Bodyguard Against Colds

